## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| in re  | Application of:  | )                                |
| Michael SOGARD   |  | Group Art Unit: 1639             |
| Application No.: 10/038,342                                      |  | Examiner: Mark Lance SHIBUYA     |
| Filed: October 23, 2001  |  |                                  |
| For:   | METHODS AND DEVICES<br>FOR HYBRIDIZATION AND<br>BINDING ASSAYS USING<br>THERMOPHORESIS | )<br>Confirmation No.: 7706<br>) |
| Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 |  |                                  |

## SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Sir:

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendments to the claims.